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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 Twelfth Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: Applications filed by Qwest Communications International Inc. and
CenturyTel, Inc. d/b/a CenturyLink for Consent to Transfer of Control –
WC Docket No. 10-110

Dear Ms. Dortch:

In Attachment 2, Appendix C, to the Commission's Memorandum Opinion and Order (FCC 11-47) in the above-captioned proceeding (the "*Merger Order*"), a list of buildings purports to identify those addresses where Qwest and CenturyLink had overlapping retail special access business as of the close of the merger. CenturyLink believes that seven addresses on that list¹ were included in error; each of these buildings serves as a central office in the Qwest local exchange network, but no retail customers are served at any of these locations.

At the request of the Wireline Competition Bureau staff, CenturyLink hereby provides a statement from Carolyn Hammack of CenturyLink confirming that, with one very limited exception, neither any of CenturyLink's local exchange carrier (LEC) affiliates nor any competing LEC (CLEC) provides either local exchange or exchange access service (including special access service) at any of the seven buildings in question. Further, CenturyLink explains that, except for a small amount of retail space in a skyway passing through the lobby of one building, the company has not leased and has no plans to lease space in any of these buildings to any third party that might be a retail customer of special access services from either a CenturyLink LEC or a CLEC. In short,

¹ The specific buildings were identified in letters filed in this proceeding on August 15, 2011, and on June 20, 2011. See Letter from Karen Brinkmann to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, in WC Docket No. 10-110, filed August 15, 2011 (listing addresses and providing revenue and collocated competitor information for each building, subject to protections for highly confidential information under the second Protective Order in this proceeding); Letter from Karen Brinkmann to Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary, in WC Docket No. 10-110, filed June 20, 2011 (providing photographs of the seven buildings).

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CenturyLink's plans always have been and remain to use these buildings as central offices and for other internal administrative purposes, and therefore their inclusion on the Appendix C list was in error.

Please direct any questions concerning this matter to me.

Very truly yours,

/s/

Karen Brinkmann

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Enclosure: Declaration of Carolyn Hammack

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